

# Shasta-Trinity National Forest

## Temporary Employment

### 2016 Field Season additional Outreach and Job Announcement



Please see additional temporary employment opportunity for the 2016 winter field season.

To be considered for these temporary positions you will need to apply through USAJOBS at:  
<https://www.usajobs.gov/>

The Shasta-Trinity National Forest, located in Northern California, is the largest National Forest in California and provides some of the highest quality fish and wildlife habitat in the Pacific Northwest. It is comprised of 2.1 million acres ranging in elevation from 1,000 feet to 14,162 feet at the summit of Mt. Shasta. This Forest encompasses five wilderness areas, hundreds of mountain lakes and more than 6,000 miles of streams and rivers. In addition, there are wild and scenic rivers, national trails and scenic byways and a National Recreation Area. For further information on the Forest, please visit our website at: [www.fs.usda.gov/stnf](http://www.fs.usda.gov/stnf)

Position is located at the Ranger Stations listed below. Be sure to select the specific duty location in order to be considered. **Questions regarding a specific position or location should be directed to the point of contact listed below.**

| Position             | Grade      | Vacancy Announcement                | Location           | Point of Contact  |
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| Meteorological Tech. | GS-1341-05 | Open: 09/01/2016 through 09/05/2016 | US/CA – Mt. Shasta | Nick Meyers<br>530.926.9617<br><a href="mailto:nimeyers@fs.fed.us">nimeyers@fs.fed.us</a> |

**Mt. Shasta/McCloud:** The Shasta-McCloud Management Unit is critical to tourism, recreation, and the wood products economy of Siskiyou and Shasta County. This is a land of breathtaking beauty and a place where everyone can enjoy the great outdoors. For additional information about the unit, please visit: [http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/stnf/about-forest/?cid=fsm9\\_008650](http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/stnf/about-forest/?cid=fsm9_008650)

This Management Unit has offices in the town of McCloud and the city of Mt. Shasta, which are about twelve miles apart. The major communities within the area are the towns of Mt. Shasta, Weed, McCloud, and Dunsmuir. These population centers are about 60 miles north of Redding, California and 60 miles south of the California/ Oregon border and 3 ½ hours from the Oregon Coast. All four towns have internet sites with detailed community information.

The climate has four distinct seasons. Summers are dry with temperatures between 75 and 90 degrees F. Most precipitation falls between mid-October and May, some in the form of snow. Average precipitation is 36 inches for Mt. Shasta and McCloud areas. Average temperature is 32 degrees in January and 85 degrees in August.

McCloud is full service community with a population of approximately 1,500 people. The community has an elementary and high school. College of the Siskiyous, a two-year community college, is located in the town of Weed. Numerous churches of different denominations are in the immediate area. There is an 80-bed hospital with a certified trauma center located in Mt. Shasta. Public transportation is available with a county bus service. Commercial air service is located in Redding, (1.5 hour drive south on I-5) and Medford, Oregon (1.5 and a half hour drive north on I-5). There is a weekly (Mt. Shasta Herald) and daily (Siskiyou Daily News) newspaper. The average 3-bedroom/2-bath house sells for \$223,000 plus in the McCloud and Mt. Shasta City area. Monthly rental for a 3-bedroom house is about \$850-\$1100 in the McCloud and Mt. Shasta area. Housing and rental costs are somewhat lower in the surrounding communities.

Recreation opportunities in the area are unlimited. Major attractions include the McCloud and Sacramento Rivers, Mt. Shasta, Lake Siskiyou and McCloud Reservoir, the Mt. Shasta Ski and Board Park and Nordic Center, numerous alpine lakes, hiking and biking trails, lava features and the Shasta Lake National Recreation Area. For those who want a more urban experience, the Shakespeare Festival in Ashland and the Britt Festival in Jacksonville, Oregon are less than 1 ½ hours away.

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For additional information, please contact Carolyn Napper at [cnapper@fs.fed.us](mailto:cnapper@fs.fed.us) at (530) 926-9620 or Frances Lindquist, Civil Rights Officer at (530)-226-2367. Thank you for your interest in our positions.